A. H. CLEMENT, Editor

Improved Rural Schools

necessary to secure an admend | wealth | unless the standards | 12 cents a pound. ment to the Constitution in or- long since accepted in our der to put rural education on cities are applied with equal the same relative basis as the force to rural conditions. thousand.

ty to set up definite standards. ducted. schools relate to two aspects of chool building and sanitary terrific indirect tax every year Trinkle conditions, and second, and because of the mud roads ing at the home of Mrs. John

mentary school. The standards good roads advocates from all to hear of their sex made Gov and definitions which have sections.

constructed in accordance with to the State which would result the law, must have proper floor from better highways. designated and well kept sani- and maintenance was heartily but to provide reasonable play- cost a great deal and a large ly condition. Everything con | De constructed. This was not dicive to good health among possible with current revenue the pupils is urged particular and the issuance of bonds ly for the rural schools.

Second - The teacher must ness investment, he said. have sufficient quantications to guarantee a good type of indition is broughtabout the in struction in the rural schools cannot be of stanuard quality. only. The State Board prescribes for

the standard school must be a recent spell of typhoid fever not less than \$85 per month.

This salary is fixed because it is the minimum amount for is the minimum amount for past week. give a bonus to the teachers in Wooten sold some leaf there for the rural one and two room \$22

standard rural school must be of bad winter weather" is still nine months. This has long believed in by some people, since been accepted as the however, men got in some good and for high schools every and I commenced sowing oats. a nine months high school want for winter seed oats and term is a stronger argument if I did not have a supply I for a nine months elementary would not pay that price for

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ed because students are needed it.

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the per capita basis. It is the sincere hope of the For the past several years Board of Education that the nothing in it. the State Board has had in people in the rural sections of improvement of rural educa think in terms of properly etion. The execution of this quipped and properly main policy was seriously handicap tained rural schools. Educaped by the war and after-war tion cannot adequately serve for \$9 25 the past week in some conditions. First of all it was the people of the Common-places it is retailing as high as

education in the civies. A pro- Under the changed Constitu posed admendment was passed tution and under the present in 1918 and again in 1920, and statue any community in Vir upon by the people of the State good a school as it wants. think \$6 is the price delivered is urged that proper considera- marriage, and I think he in The foundation is thus laid tion be given to rural schools, old ancestral home when he for better rural schools and and that adequate levies be comes back to the country.

Roads

more important, to the quality throughout the State. This was G. Glover, his sister. For some time people have made by Senator Carter Glass dates for the office of Division Superintendent of schools, one of whom is a lady. Someone standards for high schools. It ed at the tenth annual conven- predicts that we will bave a is of even more importance for tion of the Virginia Good Roads lady candidate for Governor patrons to understand what Association held last week in after a while, but I do no constitutes a good rural ele Roanoke and attended by 800 think many ladies would want

create throughout the State a the people of the State were here, but only two have an fixed understanding of what losing millions annually in the nounced their candidacy so far a rural school should be. The form of a "mud tax" although importance of this question they did not realize it because just fine I got a pair for \$3.50 cannot be overstated. While the money did not come direct. and I got one of the bridles fo no attempt is made to give the ly from their pockets. He stat \$1 65 full standards fixed by the ed that it would be far better to State Board, in general terms, pay for good roads and out an there are about as follows: end to this direct loss and also First-The building must be aid in the great development

space, air space and lighting | The issuance of bonds by the area. There must be two well State for highway construction taries. The yard must be approved by Senator Glass in large enough not only to ac- nis address He told the con commodate the schoolhouse, vention delegates that roads ground. The school premises amount was necessary to build must be kept in neat and order | them as rapidly as they should would be the best kind of busi

struction. The Department of some men a hieve greatness, Education is insistent upon the and some men have greatness necessity of attracting proper thrust upon them. Now in the ly qualified teachers to the campaign which is on, who is rural schools. Until this con- the man who is going to have greatness thrust upon him? refer to men in Buckingham

Miss Mary Haskins, who is a standard rural school the teaching the Greyburn public teacher must hold at least a school this session left Saturday first-grade certificate, and for New Kent county to visit higher qualifications are urged. her sister, Mrs. N. A. McKay, The salary of the teacher in who is slowly recovering from

which well trained teachers can be secured In a great many counties in the Commonwealth smaller towns are paying salaries as much or paying salaries as much or has gone abroad in the county larger than this, whereas in the that as good prices are to be rural schools the salary is obtained at Dillwyn as at Farm very much reduced. If need ville, men flocked there last be, school boards are urged to week to make sales. Mr James

schools in order to induce the best teachers to undertake this work.

The lenght of term for a

\$22

The ground hog saw his shadow on Feb. 2nd and the time honored tradition "That we will have six more weeks that the name, "Thedford's Black-Draught," is since been accepted as the however, men got in some good standard term for city schools, work at plowing the past week where. Every argument for \$1.50 a bushel is what farmers

term. Of course, in some sec- them. I bought guano to sow tions the term may be shorten- oats and paid \$4 10 per sack for

cases proper adjustments will Methodist church is a vigorous be made. The main idea of and aggressive minister and on the State Board is to establish Sunday last he preached here son from the Blood and healing the disjust as good school term for the an interesting sermon in which rural schools as for those of he made plain what our duty 1909, at the post office at Appointation, Va., under any other type. In some cases was in regard to having famithe term may be fixed at nine ly prayer and teaching the months with with part time Bible in our homes. He said he school work in early fall and took one of the school books IN the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Ap omattox, on the 21st larger boys may have a chance through and he could not find Bernice Wilkerson

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Negro miners who have been working for years in the mines

GET YOUR There is a scarcity of shoats of shoats of the county of Appoint of Appoint of Appoint of Appoint of Appoint of the court house working for years in the mines

of W. Va . say that work is so

dull out there that there is Plant patches are being mind a definite policy for the the State will commence to burned now and the improved prices of tobacco has somewhat I bought 100 pounds of sugar

Wood choppers are asking \$1 25 a cord for cutting cord

R. R. ties have declined 10 and 15 cents each. One of my neighbors paid \$60 for ten barrels of corn last this admendment was voted ginia may now have just as hauling—as a general thing I last November, and passed When estimates are made in Mr E W. Hubard has been with a majority of about eighty April for the ensuing year, it staying in Richmond since his

the State Board is taking ad-asked on which these schools The lines are being drawn vantage of the first opportuni- may be safely and wisely con- between Tucker and Trinkle for the nomination for Gover por and one prominent man The standards for the rural sen. Glass Favors Bonds for who is for Tucker has a wife who is a prominent and influthe question - first - to the Virginia people are paying a ential lady and she is for

one of the telling statements I hear there are five candi-

been given out are designed to Senator Glass declared that candidate for the legis'ature

The fare on the rail road has have cars go to the cities in

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removing no end of drudgery "There is no question that the use of unschine power on the farm is the greatest advancement ma 'e in the development of ag iculture, not only in money saving and mone making results as well as raising the standards of living on the farm to a much higher level, but because of its proved volue in making every to pe of land more productive, and the afternoon, February 13th, Eleanor Case consequently our desire to plee the Ford o within the re ch of all. "There is no change in the present Ford car and truck prices, which are already at the lowest possible figure an! now with rock bottom reached on the tractor price a further reduction in price of either the Car Truck or Tractor is out of the question, in fact, the big price cuts have been made in auticipation of continuous maximum production and increases may be nacessary before long if a la ge volume of new business

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the 82nd year of tion of the county w He was born and ence to signing the county and was contracts. Mr. Floyd Daniel Ferguson, an W. A. Swan has a free

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Miss Bettie Simms, of Rice. s, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Third Y Coristine Gilliam, Iva

D Puckett. Wiss Alethia Doss spent the wek end with her cousin, Mrs. lim Conner, at Evergreen Reid Hatche w. Robert Jones and A H Rupert Roge

ment have returned from a Ned Hancock mainess trip to Amherst. Willard Peak The farmers of Appomattox ard, Gladys looking after the sale of

lav L F. Burnett will preach Gravitt, Mar Born to Mr. and Mrs. John D Street, Virgin Rose, Jr. at Benderson, N. C., ton Custer.

on February 2nd, a girl-1er Nellie Cawon name is Billie Abbitt Rose. Frances Gordo Miss Ellen Marshall Rugg. ald representative of the Reg Lucy Hale. e, visited Appomattox las mek and went over the work Nathan Goin, with the local chapter. he dhapter will have a meet 6:h Grade-H soon to elect new officers. Florence Grego he Ladies Parsonage Society con, Billy Tre the Methodist church will irea Valentine party at the Nell Cawthor Alice Harwood,

riday night, the 11th. Every music pupils of Miss Harold Furbus nklin will give a recital in cock, Frankie High School auditorium, Jamerson, Ruby ay evening, February 15. ard McDearmon

so'click. The public cordi- 4th Grade-F Edward Almond Woman's Missionary wood, Lucy I y of New Hope church Ann LeGrande. est at parsonage, Satur Carrie Warri February 12th, at 2 o'clock members requested to be Puckett. , this being an import

2ud Grade-Bil t. Harry L. Gowen, a prom Wooldridge, Mar ly, has moved on the farm | O. Guill, Home

Samuel W. Bantor, or Louise Doss ttox river, and will e Lidies Aid Society of derman Carter,

list church will give an Beatrice Smith. 146:30 o'clock. Oysters. Hampden Sidney, es, coffee and refresh- the Presbyterian

Joe LeGrand.
Appomattox, Va D. Statt was acci young man delive by being struck on the come known that the water stand pike plates a search for as he makes good the writer prediction of the writer prediction.

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d as one of our had to see his share He was a Con his share of some of t a family of 18 cow for sale. sisters. He is Who ever found Mr.

by three children, conner, of Rich-lie automobile on the and Pamplin road w emains will be back to Mr. Jamerson.

Brien graveyard Our colored folks—H Jenkins has moved fro

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